

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraphs beginning at line 16 of page 8 and ending at line 11 of page 9 as follows:

The color image forming portion is provided with photosensitive drums 5Y, 5M, 5C ~~[[5L]]~~ and 5K, chargers 7Y, 7M, 7C and 7K, laser scanners 10Y, 10M, 10C and 10K, developing devices 8Y, 8M, 8C and 8K, toner cartridges 11Y, 11M, 11C and 11K, and primary transfer rollers 6Y, 6M, 6C and 6K in respective ones of stations juxtaposed by the number of developing colors. The color image forming portion is further provided with an intermediate transfer belt 12, a secondary transfer roller 9, a sheet feeding and conveying portion and a fixing device 13.

Each photosensitive drum is of a construction in which an organic photoconductive layer is formed on the outer periphery of an aluminum cylinder, and is counter-clockwisely rotated by a driving motor, not shown. The photosensitive drum is primary-charged by the charger provided with a charging sleeve 7YS, 7MS, 7CS or 7KS. The surface of the photosensitive drum is exposed to a laser beam on the basis of inputted image data, whereby an electrostatic latent image is formed thereon. The electrostatic latent image is developed into a visible image by the developing device provided with a developing sleeve 8YS, 8MS, 8CS or 8KS ~~[[8CK]]~~.